



ST. JOHN

THE BAPTIST PARISH

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ST JOHN THE BAPTIST PARISH
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COOPERATIVE ENDEAVOR AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST PARISH COUNCIL
AND
PARISHES ADVOCATING FOR COASTAL ENDURANCE, INC.

This Agreement is made between St. John the Baptist Parish Council, herein referred to as "Parish", represented by Natalie Robottom, Parish President and Parishes Advocating for Coastal Endurance, Inc. (PACE), a tax-exempt 501(c)(3) foundation, located at 1221 Elmwood Park Blvd., Suite 1002, Jefferson, Louisiana, herein represented by its Interim Executive Director. St. John the Baptist Parish Council and PACE are sometimes individually referred to as "Party" and collectively referred to as "the Parties". The Parties agree to enter into this Cooperative Endeavor Agreement "Agreement" effective the 1st day of January 2020 (effective date).

WHEREAS, Article VII, Section 14 (C) of the Louisiana Constitution provides that "For a public purpose, the state and its political subdivisions or political corporation may engage in cooperative endeavors with each other, with the United States or its agencies, or with any public or private corporation or individual"; and

WHEREAS, St. John the Baptist Parish and PACE share a goal of scientific research and outreach to the citizens of St. John the Baptist Parish on issues affecting the natural resources of the parish and state, and believe they can substantially benefit the citizens of St. John the Baptist Parish by entering into a cooperative endeavor with each other; and

WHEREAS, St. John the Baptist Parish proposes to allocate five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) annually to PACE for the support of PACE operations on behalf of PACE members to provide an active forum for education regarding common coastal issues related to land loss and resiliency, and for the exploration and proposal of workable solutions for these common issues; and

WHEREAS, PACE will use these funds to educate and propose these solutions in both the State Capital and in Washington, D.C. on behalf of its member parishes in an attempt to secure commitments and funding necessary to alleviate these unique coastal problems for the benefit of all Louisiana's coastal residents.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants herein contained and the mutual benefits to be derived by both **Parties** herein, St. John the Baptist Parish and PACE, who, each being represented by the undersigned duly authorized to act herein, respectfully agree to the following terms and conditions.

PURPOSE: The mission of both **Parties** includes the support of research, outreach, and education to the citizens of St. John the Baptist Parish on issues affecting the natural resources of the **Parish**. The arrangement set forth in this **Agreement** will be beneficial to the **Parties**.

1. SCOPE OF WORK

The funds provided through this **Agreement** support the operation and mission of Parishes Advocating for Coastal Endurance, Inc., in accordance with its adopted Bylaws.

2. PROJECT PERIOD

This project will begin on January 1, 2020 and end on December 31, 2022, subject to annual appropriation by each member parish.

3. FUNDING

St. John the Baptist Parish will annually appropriate and provide funding to PACE in support of its mission and objectives the benefits of which will accrue to the individual parish members of PACE provided each member parish continues to allocate its share of the PACE budget under the terms of this **Cooperative Endeavor Agreement**.

Payment will be made by checks made payable to PACE, Inc. and mailed to:

Parishes Advocating for Coastal Endurance, Inc.
Attn: Executive Director
1221 Elmwood Park Blvd., Suite 1002
Jefferson, LA 70123

4. REPORTS

PACE Inc. will provide written progress reports to the Board of Directors of PACE Inc., with copies sent to each member parish.

5. USE OF NAME

Neither **Party** will use the name or logos of the other party in any publications or publicity pertaining to the work of PACE, Inc., without the prior written approval of the PACE Board of Directors.

6. INDEMNIFICATION

Each **Party** shall be responsible for its negligent acts or omissions and the negligent acts or omissions of its employees, officers, or directors, to the extent allowed by law.

7. TERMINATION or AMENDMENT

Either **Party** may terminate this **Agreement** with 60-days written notice to the other **Party**. This **Agreement** may be amended only with written approval of both **Parties**.

8. NOTICES

All notices or communications by either **Party** to the other will be directed as follows:

St. John the Baptist Parish:

Natalie Robottom, Parish President
1811 W Airline Hwy
LaPlace, LA 70068
Phone: (985) 652-9569
Email: robottom@stjohn-la.gov

Parishes Advocating for Coastal Endurance, Inc.:

Executive Director
1221 Elmwood Park Blvd., Suite 1002
Jefferson, LA 70123
Phone: (to be provided)
Email: (to be provided)

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this **Agreement** as of this 12th day of November, 2019.

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST PARISH

Natalie Robottom
Natalie Robottom
Parish President

DATE: 11/12/19

WITNESS: [Signature]

WITNESS: Deanna Schenayder

PARISHES ADVOCATING FOR COASTAL ENDURANCE, INC.

Renee Roberts
Executive Director

DATE: 12/5/2019

WITNESS: Hayes J. Callin

WITNESS: Anne Pel



ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST PARISH COUNCIL

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November 13th, 2019

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Natalie Robottom, Parish President
ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST PARISH
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Dear Mrs. Robottom:

Please be advised of the following motion, which the St. John the Baptist Parish Council adopted at a meeting held on Tuesday, November 12th, 2019.

"Councilman Sorapuru moved and Councilman Snyder seconded the motion to grant administration authorization to enter into a Cooperative Endeavor Agreement (CEA) with Parishes Advocating for Coastal Endurance, Inc. (PACE) for the support of research, outreach and education to the citizens of St. John the Baptist Parish on issues affecting the natural resources of the Parish. The motion passed with Councilwoman Remondet and Councilman Perrilloux absent."

CERTIFICATION

I, Jackie Landeche, Secretary of the St. John the Baptist Parish Council do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of a motion adopted by said body on the 12th day of November, 2019.

November 13th, 2019,

Jackie Landeche
Council Secretary

St. John the Baptist Parish Council

